## **COUNTERFEIT DRUGS**

5.1 MILLION Americans abuse prescription painkillers - to keep up with demand, dealers have turned to to cheaper, more powerful drugs to increase supply and profits.

#### FAKE PILLS = REAL RISKS

You have no idea what's in that pill. Counterfeit pills laced with much stronger synthetic drugs have been found in 42 OUT OF 50 STATES. Most counterfeit pills are laced with Fentanyl or one of it's 40 synthetic analogues.

DEATHS FROM FENTANYL AND OTHER SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS HAVE RISEN 540%.



### PILLS THAT ARE COMMONLY FAKED

Oxycontin

Oxycodone

Percocet

Xanax

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Vicodin

hydrocodone



These pills look EXACTLY like legitimate medication. They have the same shape, color and markings

Trained pharmacists cannot tell by looking and neither can you!

The only ones not profiting from these pills is the end user. The risk is ten-fold - UNKNOWN CHEMICALS, UNKNOWN DOSAGES and STRONGER DRUGS means the chance for ADDICTION, OVERDOSE or even DEATH skyrocket.

## AURCINIA

Opioids are HIGHLY ADDICTIVE and when users are given powerful counterfeits it increases the chances of becoming hooked.

## DEATH

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Drug overdose is now the #1 cause of accidental death

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Most of these deaths are directly linked to to illegal fentanyl in counterfeit drugs.

A dose as small as 0.25 mg is enough otherwise healthy adult - THAT'S ABOU

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Most counterfeits contain drugs that are 50 TO 100 TIMES stronger than the user expects triggering an overdose.

#### WNY MAKE COUNTERFEIT PILLS?

To make money. Counterfeiters buy cheap, illegal fentanyl from China and pill presses over the internet and create their own pills for a fraction of the cost, yet they charge the same amount as a pharmaceutical grade pill on the streets.



A multi-million dollar fentanyl lab with over 500,000 pills labeled as OxyContin and Xanax was discovered in a suburban Utah basement. THE PILLS WERE SOLD ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND CONTAINED ONLY FENTANYL.

200 POUNDS OF FENTANYL were seized in New York. Enough to make 32 MILLION LETHAL DOSES.

# DO NOT TAKE WHAT IS NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU.

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